

# TOWN OF RUTLAND

## *Annual Report*



Year Ending December 31st

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## TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator . . . . .	Orin A. Thomas, Sr.	
Clerk and Treasurer . . .	Andrew L. Orzel	
Listers . . . . .	Lloyd Roberts	1957
	Elton Bridge	1958
	Merritt L. Thomas	1959
Selectmen . . . . .	Clarence E. Oakman	1957
	William N. Sharp	1958
	Byron J. Hathaway	1959
Road Commissioner . . .	Wallace K. Fish	
Overseer of the Poor . . .	George E. Wood	
School Commissioners . .	Myron J. Beebe	1957
	Anne K. Houghton	1958
	Alva T. Howe	1959
Tax Collector . . . . .	George E. Wood	
First Constable . . . . .	George E. Wood	
Second Constable . . . .	Paul J. Gawet	
Auditors . . . . .	Raymond E. Holway	1957
	Daniel A. Murphy	1958
	Donald V. Russell	1959
Town Representative . . .	Myron J. Beebe	
Health Officer . . . . .	Dr. James L. Lovejoy	
Fire Warden . . . . .	George Livak	

## AUDITORS' REPORT OF RUTLAND TOWN FINANCIAL CONDITION AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1956

### ASSETS

Cash on Hand:	
General Account	\$2,932.27
Overseer of Poor Account	1,974.79
Highway Account	1,991.97
Special County Tax Account	50.84
On Deposit with Rutland City	300.00
Alden Pinney Trust Fund	313.39
Due from Delinquent Taxes	300.35
	\$7,863.61

### LIABILITIES

Deficit in Fire Protection Account	\$114.59
Proctor Trust Company, Loan	5,000.00
Highway Account Unpaid Bills	470.86
	\$5,585.45
Balance on Hand	2,278.16
	\$7,863.61

DANIEL A. MURPHY,  
DONALD V. RUSSELL,

Auditors.



## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Summary of Orders from January 1, 1956  
to January 1, 1957

Agricultural Extension Service:		
Vermont Extension Service		\$547.71
Blister Rust Control:		
Brown, Kenneth	\$79.00	
Calvin, John	79.00	
Lavery, Cornelius P.	79.00	
Mallette, Robert	32.00	
Ross, William	20.80	
Woodbury, John	9.60	
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		299.40
Bridges, Culverts, Roads:		
Livak, George	\$4.00	
Vermont Marble Co.	10.00	
W. C. Landon	12.36	
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		26.36
Cemeteries:		
Dawson, Herbert	\$6.50	
Jaskot, Paul	126.70	
Kellogg, Kenneth	25.00	
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		158.20
Equipment—New, Repairs:		
Bogart, John	\$7.74	
Dezro, R. E.	11.20	
Hendee's Garage	7.50	
Murphy Office Equipment Co.	75.00	
R. C. Hazelton Co.	245.00	
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		346.44
Fires—Forest, Grass:		
Burke, Barry	\$2.00	
Burke, Mrs. Barry	2.00	
Burke, William J.	2.00	
Burke, Mrs. William	2.00	
Crossman, Robert	2.00	
Denardo, James	2.00	

Denardo, Sidney	2.00	
Fish, Marshall	2.00	
Godzick, Charles	2.00	
Lewis, Russell	2.00	
Livak, Andrew	4.00	
Livak, George	9.90	
Taylor, Donald	2.80	
Taylor, Mrs. Donald	2.00	
White, Russell	2.00	
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		40.70
Insurance and Bonds:		
Cooperative Fire Insurance Assn.	\$8.10	
Orzel, Andrew L.	137.69	
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		145.79
Interest:		
Proctor Trust Co.		160.96
Legal Services:		
Abatiell, Radigan & Delliveneri		397.05
Library:		
Rutland Free Public Library		1,000.00
Lights:		
Central Vermont Public Service Corp.		1,022.46
Miscellaneous:		
Fish, W. K.	\$117.85	
Fredette, Wilbert	20.00	
Hathaway, Byron J.	30.00	
Miglis, Mrs. Frances	33.13	
Orzel, Andrew L.	5.85	
Rutland Herald	13.13	
Service Charge	1.00	
St. Johnsbury Trucking Co.	2.88	
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		223.84
Officers' Salaries and Fees:		
Adams, Albert	\$7.00	
Baccei, Joseph	27.00	

Baccai, Olderige	10.00	
Bridges, Elton	100.00	
Buck, R. C.	16.12	
Burke, William	6.00	
Davis, Robert	10.64	
Gawet, Paul	15.00	
Hathaway, Byron J.	286.15	
Holway, Raymond	50.00	
Lengol, George	10.00	
Livak, George	4.30	
Lovejoy, Dr. J. L.	30.00	
Murphy, Daniel A.	50.00	
Oakman, Clarence	180.00	
Olson, Ernest	27.00	
Orzel, Andrew L.	1,960.43	
Roberts, Lloyd	203.60	
Russell, Donald	50.00	
Sharp, William N.	155.90	
Thomas, Merritt	100.00	
Thomas, Orin A., Sr.	6.00	
Williams, Sherwin	31.64	
Wood, George E.	109.24	
		3,446.02
Old Age Assistance:		
Treasurer, State of Vermont		3,429.00
Printing, Postage, Supplies:		
Hall & McChesney	\$164.05	
Murphy, Daniel A.	19.25	
Murphy, Mrs. Mildred	75.16	
Murphy Office Equipment Co.	57.30	
Novak Printing Co.	567.92	
Proctor Trust Co.	7.38	
Reese, S. H.	20.64	
Rutland Business College	10.00	
Sharp, William N.	10.00	
Sico, B. N.	2.10	
Tuttle Stationery Co.	17.00	
		950.80

School Lot Rent:		
Village of Proctor		12.13
State Aid Assessment:		
Treasurer, State of Vermont		2,790.20
Taxes:		
C. W. Campbell, Treasurer		687.28
Temporary Loans:		
Fish, W. K.	\$1,000.00	
Wood, George E.	1,500.00	
		2,500.00
Town Property Expense:		
Fish, Arthur L.	\$319.70	
Johnson, Arvid	3.00	
Keefe, Charles B.	503.50	
		826.20
Winter Maintenance:		
Atwood, Erwin	\$58.80	
Barker, R. D.	526.42	
Creed, R. J.	177.96	
Crossman, Roy	1,649.50	
Denardo, Sidney	40.15	
Fish, W. K.	2,030.47	
Gallipo, Ernest	76.35	
Gawet, J. P. & Sons	445.73	
International Salt Co.	1,432.50	
Keith, John F.	50.00	
Livak, Andrew	92.00	
Livak, George	61.20	
Quirk, Philip	29.60	
Rutland Railroad	325.00	
Treasurer, State of Vermont	83.21	
		7,078.89
Note Payment:		
Proctor Trust Co.		10,000.00
		\$36,089.43

Receipts (see Treasurer's Report)	\$39,021.70
Disbursements	36,089.43
Balance	\$2,932.27

### Fire Protection Account

Balance on hand January 1, 1956	\$777.87
Interest from City of Rutland	7.54
	\$785.41
Disbursements	900.00
Minus	\$114.59

### Special County Tax (\$.05)

Receipts (see Treasurer's Report)	\$1,160.36
Balance on hand January 1, 1956	35.94
Total	\$1,196.30
Disbursements	1,145.46
Balance on hand January 1, 1957	\$50.84

Total Receipts, General, Fire Protection and Special County Tax	\$41,003.41
Total Disbursements	38,134.89
Balance January 1, 1957	\$2,868.53

Tax Collector's Taxes Abated—\$91.20

Respectfully submitted,

W. N. SHARP,

BYRON J. HATHAWAY,

CLARENCE E. OAKMAN,

Selectmen, Town of Rutland.

### OVERSEER OF POOR ACCOUNT

January 1, 1956 to December 31, 1956

No. 50 of the Acts of 1941 of the State of Vermont prohibits publishing names and amounts of aid to the department of Social Welfare.

Department of Social Welfare	\$793.15	\$793.15
Albertha Knapp:		
Rutland Hospital	757.47	757.47
Channie Sawyer:		
Care in Rest Home	\$441.39	
Prescriptions	16.72	
Funeral Expense	44.50	
Mileage and Labor	6.86	
		509.47
Lorenzo Atwood:		
Wood and Fuel Oil	\$61.57	
Food	34.70	
Probate Court	9.50	
Vermont State Hospital	35.40	
Sheriff Fee	84.00	
Mileage and Telephone	3.57	
		228.74
Mrs. Elizabeth Niles	\$89.60	89.60
H. Lozier:		
Food, Fuel, Rent	\$51.27	51.27
Herman Tardy:		
Food	\$45.28	45.28
Weino Waltermann	\$19.00	19.00
Total Cost of Poor		\$2,493.98
Salary, Geo. E. Wood, Overseer	\$150.00	
Proctor Trust Co., Check Book	4.07	
Miscellaneous Expenses	9.04	
		\$163.11
Paid to General Account (Temporary Loan)		\$1,500.00
		\$4,157.09



Receipts (see Treasurer's Report)	\$6,131.88
Expenditures	4,157.09
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Cash on hand December 31, 1956	\$1,974.79

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. E. WOOD,

Overseer of Poor.

## REPORT OF ROAD COMMISSIONER FOR 1956

### Inventory for 1956

1 Motor Grader
1 Culvert Cleaner
2 Stone Forks
1 Power Brush Saw
5 Shovels
1 Culvert Thawer
2 Rakes
3 Brooms
3 Sand Spreaders

Retreatment work was done on West Proctor, Billings, Dyer, Cold River, Town Line Road and Grove Street.

### RECEIPTS

Balance from 1955	\$986.18
Temporary Loan	500.00
Poll Tax	379.00
Orin A. Thomas & Sons, Inc.—(Culvert)	16.60
Temporary Loan	500.00
Property Tax	10,708.00
Property Tax	516.60
Retreatment	7,103.27
Gas Tax and Town Highway	4,523.51
State Aid	172.91
State Aid	593.95
Various Tar Work and Gravel from Individuals	1,029.50
Total	<hr/> \$27,029.52
Checks Drawn	\$25,037.55
Balance	\$1,991.97

### Unpaid Bills:

Treasurer, State of Vermont	\$315.64
Young's Service Station	18.06
Roy Hubbard	69.30
Lord's Service Station	5.36
Joseph Carrara	62.50

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\$470.86

## ROAD COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

## Checks Drawn

Gorham Bros., asphalt	\$6,326.82
R. D. Barker, equipment and stone	5,403.29
Wallace K. Fish, equipment and services	3,604.74
Treasurer, State of Vermont, equipment	2,261.57
Hendee's Garage, grader repair and truck	1,170.17
General Account, payment of temporary loan	1,000.00
George Livak, chain saw and labor	623.15
Vermarco Paving Co., cold patch	473.29
Roy Crossman, equipment and gravel	373.28
R. J. Creed, truck	364.26
Inter-State Equipment and Supply Co., Inc., grader blades, power brush saw	336.82
Ernest Gallipo, labor	347.95
Koppers Co., Inc., tar	311.72
Andrew Livak, labor	271.90
Walter Hack, truck	215.23
M. C. Atwood, gravel	213.60
Phillip Quirk, truck	209.05
James O'Shea, calcium chloride	180.50
Erwin Atwood, truck	179.25
Wm. Taranovich, gravel	173.00
Harley Fay, truck	159.10
Chester Carrara, gravel	148.65
Berger Metal Culvert Co., culverts	127.58
J. P. Gawet & Sons, truck	119.25
Lema F. Carter, truck	106.30
Sidney Denardo, labor	86.90
Carpenter's Service Station, gas for grader	53.75
Rutland Fire Clay Co., upkeep of Keenan Road	40.00
J. Barry Burke, mowing roadside	37.20
Vermont Paving Co., Inc., cold patch	33.04
Arthur Jasmin, truck	30.45

Boule Bros., equipment	30.00
W. C. Landon Co., chain and clamps	16.30
Eastern States Farmer's Exchange, barb wire	12.41
Lord's Service Station, gas for grader	10.30
Mintzer Bros., tools	8.60
Proctor Trust Co., checks	4.07
St. Johnsbury Co., Inc., delivering grader blades	3.46
Norton Hardware Co.	.60
Total Checks	<u>\$25,037.55</u>

WALLACE K. FISH,

Road Commissioner.



## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Delinquent Taxes as of January 1, 1956	\$486.93	
Delinquent Taxes received from Treasurer	1,112.47	\$1,599.40
Collected and paid to Treasurer	\$1,207.85	
Taxes Abated	91.20	1,299.05
		<u>\$300.35</u>

Colomb, Mrs. Beverly, 1954-1955	\$13.40
Dailey, Stella, 1956	38.95
Knapp, Attle and Alberta, 1956	10.25
Lancour, Albert, 1951	5.85
Miles, Mary E., 1956	9.10
Miles, Henry R., 1956	9.10
Pelkey, Oliver, 1953	6.65
Pelkey, Mrs. Oliver F., 1953	6.65
Quirk, Mrs. Anna, 1956	164.00
Strait, Stanley S., 1952	6.65
Strait, Mrs. Stanley, 1952	6.65
Trussell, Kenneth, 1954	6.30
Trussell, Mrs. Kenneth, 1954	6.30
Taylor, John, 1950	5.25
Woods, Leonora, 1950	5.25
	<u>\$300.35</u>

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. E. WOOD,

Tax Collector.

## TREASURER'S REPORT

## STATEMENT OF TAXES FOR 1956

General Tax	\$ .80	
Highway Tax	.50	
Overseer of Poor Tax	.15	
Special County Tax	.05	
School Tax	2.60	
Total	<u>\$4.10</u>	
Property Grand List	\$22,449.21	
Poll List	758.00	
Total Grand List	<u>\$23,207.21</u>	
Property Grand List	\$22,449.21	
Taxes assessed at \$4.10		\$92,041.76
Paid to Treasurer	\$87,615.52	
4% Discount allowed	3,805.17	
Given to Collector	621.07	\$92,041.76
Poll List	\$758.00	
758 Ratable polls assessed at \$4.10		\$3,107.80
Paid to Treasurer (704)	\$2,773.76	
4% Discount allowed	112.64	
Given to Collector (54)	221.40	\$3,107.80

## OLD AGE ASSISTANCE TAX

758 Ratable polls assessed at \$5.00		\$3,790.00
Paid to Treasurer (704)	\$3,520.00	
Given to Collector (54)	270.00	\$3,790.00

## GENERAL ACCOUNT

## Receipts

Balance from 1955	\$1,008.20
George E. Wood, Collector of Taxes, 1956 Taxes	844.67
1955 Taxes	310.05
1954 Taxes	23.85

1953 Taxes	12.13
1952 Taxes	6.65
1950 Taxes	10.50
Town of Clarendon, salt	282.00
Town Clerk, dog licenses	489.75
Liquor and Beer licenses	225.00
State of Vermont, winter maintenance town highways	313.50
State of Vermont, winter maintenance state aid	582.50
Thomas P. Burke, rent for town hall	15.00
Town Treasurer, 1956 poll and property taxes	17,325.50
Howard and Marie L. Manz, 1956 poll taxes	18.20
Joseph and G. J. Mainolfi, 1956 poll taxes	18.20
Mer-Lie Farms, timbers from Billings bridge	36.00
Overseer of Poor Account, reimbursement of temporary loan	1,500.00
Road Commissioner's Account, reimbursement of temporary loan	1,000.00
Proctor Trust Company, loan	15,000.00
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	\$39,021.70

**Disbursements**

Paid current orders	\$18,589.43
Paid loan at Proctor Trust Co.	15,000.00
Temporary loan to Road Commissioner's Account	1,000.00
Temporary loan to Overseer of Poor Account	1,500.00
Cash on hand December 31, 1956	2,932.27
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	\$39,021.70

**FIRE PROTECTION ACCOUNT****Receipts**

Balance from 1955	\$777.87
Rutland City, interest on \$300.00 deposit	7.54
Deficit	114.59
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	\$900.00

**Disbursements**

Rutland City Fire Department for services	\$900.00
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**SPECIAL COUNTY TAX****Receipts**

Balance from 1955	\$35.94
Town Treasurer, 1956 Poll and Property Taxes	1,160.36
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	\$1,196.30

**Disbursements**

County Treasurer, assessment @ .05¢ on Grand List	\$1,145.46
Cash on hand December 31, 1956	50.84
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	\$1,196.30

**OVERSEER OF POOR ACCOUNT****Receipts**

Balance from 1955	\$344.28
Temporary loan from General Account	1,500.00
Reimbursement on Mary Ross Account	50.00
Channey Sawyer, public assistance and social security checks	305.33
State of Vermont, reimbursement for H. Tardy Account	451.19
Town Treasurer, 1956 Poll and Property Taxes	3,481.08
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	\$6,131.88

**Disbursements**

Paid Current Orders	\$2,657.09
Paid temporary loan to General Account	1,500.00
Cash on hand December 31, 1956	1,947.79
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	\$6,131.88

**HIGHWAY ACCOUNT****Receipts**

Balance from 1955	\$968.18
Temporary loan from General Account	1,000.00
Town Treasurer, 1956 poll and property taxes	11,603.60
Orin A. Thomas, culvert	16.60
State of Vermont, resurfacing	7,103.27

State of Vermont, $\frac{1}{2}\text{¢}$ gas tax	2,425.01
State of Vermont, town highways	2,098.50
State of Vermont, state aid construction	766.86
Town of Pittsford, gravel and tar for driveway	15.00
N. B. and D. M. Sutherland, gravel and tar for driveway	22.50
State Distributing Co., gravel and tar for driveway	300.00
Orin A. Thomas, Jr., gravel and tar for driveway	265.00
Seward Sales and Service, gravel and tar for driveway	195.00
Ward Baking Company, gravel and tar for driveway	75.00
Elwin Bassett, gravel and tar for driveway	52.50
Erwin Atwood, gravel and tar for driveway	40.50
Richard Thomas, gravel and tar for driveway	15.00
Arnold Clark, gravel and tar for driveway	34.00
Wallace Young, gravel and tar for driveway	15.00
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	\$27,029.52

#### Disbursements

Paid current orders	\$24,037.55
Paid temporary loan to General Account	1,000.00
Cash on hand December 31, 1956	1,991.97
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	\$27,029.52

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW L. ORZEL,

Treasurer.

## AUDITORS' REPORT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF RUTLAND TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

AS OF JUNE 30, 1956

### ASSETS

Cash on hand June 30, 1956	\$11,174.57	
Due from School lots	42.00	
	<hr/>	\$11,216.57

### LIABILITIES

Salaries due teachers (July and August)	\$4,083.02	
Balance	7,133.55	
	<hr/>	\$11,216.57

DANIAL A. MURPHY,  
DONALD V. RUSSELL,  
Auditors.

## RUTLAND TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DIRECTORS AND SUPERINTENDENT

Shortly after the close of the school last spring your Directors and Superintendent of Schools made their annual inspection of all of the school buildings and agreed to the amount of work necessary to be done during the summer vacation in order to bring the buildings into the best possible condition for the next school year. There follows a list of the work done at each school.

### Haiti School

Redecorated walls and ceiling in class room, entrance hall and toilets. Replaced the outmoded toilets with modern ones and installed new drinking fountain. Reconditioned floors and applied the proper sealer. Installed new fluorescent lights. Reconditioned drainage and septic tank. Made some other minor improvements which were necessary.



### Cheney Hill School

Redecorated walls and ceiling in the class room, alcove and kitchen and entrance hall and in the toilets. Reconditioned the floors by sanding and applying sealer. Installed new fluorescent lights. Made other minor repairs as necessary.

### Dyer School

Redecorated all walls in class rooms, entrance hall and toilet rooms. Replaced toilets. Made other minor repairs as necessary. Sanded and sealed all wood floors.

### Center Rutland School

Redecorated all class rooms, main hallway and toilet rooms. Sanded and sealed all wood floors. Constructed new fence on property line separating school property from the cemetery. Provided new chairs and desks for all class rooms.

The redecorating and reconditioning of floors and supplying new desks and chairs for the Center Rutland School was indeed a great improvement and one very much needed for some time. The pupils and the teachers were well pleased with the appearance of their respective class rooms, and many letters were sent from the pupils and teachers to the Board of Directors. Whereas we do not have space to record all of these letters, we give below an example of them, and we have selected for that purpose the letter received from the first, second and third grade children of the Center Rutland School:

"September 10, 1956

Dear Members of the School Board:

We like our new tables and chairs very much. We like the color of our room and boards. We like our new books. The floor looks nice. Thank you. We will try to be careful of everything. We are proud of our school. We want to keep it nice.

Sincerely,

First, Second and Third Grade Children."

The Board acknowledged the receipt of all letters, and a typical reply is given below:

"Your Board of School Directors wishes to express its appreciation to you for your recent letter thanking it for the work that was done in your school during the summer months. Your letter will become part of the minutes of the September meeting of the Board.

We liked your letter very, very much. It made us very happy. We were glad to have been able to do it for you. It would not have been possible for us to do it, however, if we did not have the money to pay for the work. Did you know that that money was given to us by everyone in the Town of Rutland who pays taxes? Your mothers and fathers are some of those people. Did you realize that when you said 'thank you' to us that you were also thanking them?

The Board of School Directors is very grateful to all of the taxpayers in our Town because they are the ones who make it possible for the Board to carry out the plans it has for you to have good teachers, good books and a clean and pleasant place in which to study and learn.

We hope your teacher and all of you will have a very happy school year."

Miss Ann Reilly reports the following activities during the past school year at the Center Rutland School. Many of the events are typical of those taking place at each of the other three schools.

Regular use of the motion picture projector and a film slide-projector have been helpful in audio-visual teaching. Standard tests have been used to supplement other kinds of diagnostic work in pupil progress. Extra-curricular work has been done with assemblies, a student council, a safety committee, the school patrol. Pupils, as monitors, aided teachers in the school lunch program and playground organization.

The glee club, school newspaper, music festival, forest essay contest, and observance of special days, have given pupils opportunity in particular talents.

Certain students have won awards. Stephen Russell was presented a merit trophy from the AAA for averting possible tragedy while on bus patrol. Two 4-H members, Larry Williams and Ronald McKirryher, won trips to Toronto. Max Senecal was a winner in the district forest essay contest. In the "Jimmy Fund" drive Charles Fenton, Carol Denardo and Mary Ann Trinci won awards.

The community and PTA have been most helpful in the clothing drives, soliciting for the Red Cross, March of Dimes and Jimmy Fund. They have sponsored health clinics, polio inoculations, testing of eyes and ears, school lunches, pre-holiday affairs, and closing time graduation and picnics.

Grade assignments to respective teachers have remained the same as for the previous year in the four schools. School enrollments showed no present increase in the elementary grades, but a substantial rise in the number attending high school.

We are pleased to point out that all teachers who have served us well were re-employed for the school year 1956-1957.

A tabulation of future enrollments, estimated from including pre-school children in the annual census, is given below. An effort is being made to use these figures to determine when additional classroom space may be required as well as to plan the allocation of children to their particular classrooms in any of the four school buildings.

	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Center Rutland.....	5	8	5	8	8
Cheney Hill.....	5	5	5	8	7
Dyer.....	3	2	3	2	1
Haiti.....	8	7	7	11	10
Mill Village.....	..	2	1	4	..
Post Road.....	1	4	1	2	..
Totals.....	22	28	22	35	26

Information of a statistical nature will be found in accompanying tables having to do with finances, school enrollment, unit costs, lists of eighth grade graduates and teachers.

We are continually replacing worn and soiled text books, and before the end of the present school year we will have replaced all history books.

The cost of maintenance of our buildings, the providing of heat and light, and the employment of competent teachers for our elementary schools, as well as the cost of transporting the pupils to same, and the providing of higher education, increases from year to year. The expense of providing for all of the above for the ensuing year starting July 1, 1957, will be even greater than for the present year. To cover all of the expense for the ensuing year, your Board requests a tax of \$2.65 on the Grand List. This is only a very small increase, however, over the present year. The budget for the ensuing year is set forth in another part of the report, and by comparing same with those of previous years you will easily ascertain where the increased costs of operating our schools are incurred.

We express our appreciation to the teachers for the services which they have so generously and efficiently rendered, to the PTA associations, to the State Police and to all others who in any way contributed to the successful operation of our schools.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNE K. HOUGHTON,

MYRON J. BEEBE,

A. T. HOWE,

School Directors,

FRANK O. STILES,

Superintendent.



### ENROLLMENTS BY GRADES, DECEMBER 1, 1956 WITH COMPARISONS

Schools	Grades								Horizontal Totals		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	'56-'57	'55-'56	'54-'55
Center Rutland	8	10	9	16	20	16	19	20	118	129	114
Cheney Hill	9	4	5	..	..	..	..	..	18	17	25
Dyer	6	4	3	8	6	7	9	..	43	41	43
Haiti	11	5	5	..	..	..	..	..	21	15	17
Totals for 1956-57	34	23	22	24	26	23	28	20	200	..	..
Totals for 1955-56	21	29	20	26	25	27	21	33	..	202	..
Totals for 1954-55	24	25	29	23	31	20	33	14	..	..	199
High School Students (Tuition)									106	79	86

### FIVE-YEAR AVERAGE COST PER PUPIL

#### Based Upon School Fiscal Years

	'55-'56	'54-'55	'52-'53	'51-'52	'50-'51
Elementary Pupils	\$241.00	\$230.02	\$238.39	\$224.78	\$230.88
High School Pupils *	328.64	249.34	235.64	202.23	173.22

\*This would be \$258.35 if state aid was received for pupils attending private school.

### AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE

	1955-56	1954-55	1953-54
Center Rutland	120.29	110.5	103.3
Cheney Hill	18.27	24.5	26.5
Dyer	39.65	40.3	41
Haiti	11.88	16.5	17.5

### EIGHTH GRADE GRADUATES 1956

Donald Atwood	Elizabeth Olson
Walter Bora	Thomas Patch
Roderick Bresett	Jean Pearo
Meredith Corliss	Nancy Russell
Robert Davidson	Stephen Russell
William Davidson	Thomas Sabotka
Stanley Eels	Maxwell Senecal
Thomas Goodrich	Suzanne Sheldon
Charles Hemenway	Barbara Trinci
Anita Johnson	Betty Villemaire
Vivianne Johnson	Thomas Walker
Sandra Larabee	Ronald Wetherby
Patricia Lawrence	Larry Williams
Shirley Lawrence	Annette Young
Lorraine Linn	Patricia Young

### SCHOOL BUDGET FOR 1957-1958 WITH COMPARISONS

#### Rutland Town Schools

	Expenditures 1954-55	Expenditures 1955-56	Budget Estimate 1956-57	Proposed Budget 1957-58
Notes Payable	.....	\$3,000.00	.....	.....
Teachers' Salaries	\$22,833.72	24,876.64	\$26,000.00	\$27,500.00
Substitute Salaries	20.00	175.00	350.00	350.00
Supervisions	1,006.88	1,008.70	1,200.00	1,200.00
Books	694.50	688.76	1,000.00	750.00
Instructional Supplies	1,312.99	1,486.99	1,100.00	1,500.00
Janitors' Supplies	260.77	266.93	300.00	300.00
Janitors' Salaries	1,864.00	1,829.80	2,000.00	2,000.00
Repairs & Improvements	6,634.76	2,240.56	1,500.00	2,500.00
Lights (New)	.....	.....	600.00	.....
Furniture	220.06	803.79	900.00	.....
Fuel	1,884.22	1,991.37	2,000.00	2,000.00
Light, Power and Water	599.88	551.30	700.00	650.00
Transportation	8,516.00	9,141.00	9,100.00	9,500.00
Tuition	22,391.48	20,595.71	28,500.00	32,500.00
Insurance and Bonds	602.09	560.76	600.00	550.00
School Directors	375.00	375.00	375.00	510.00
School Union Expense	593.17	585.70	700.00	700.00
Miscellaneous	823.67*	439.54	466.67	500.00
Telephone	.....	280.96	350.00	350.00
	\$70,640.71	\$70,898.51	\$77,741.67	1,500.00†
				\$84,860.00

\*Includes telephone.

†Contingency fund.

#### RECEIPTS:

#### To Jan. 1, '57 Anticipated

From the State	\$17,783.04	\$17,792.70	\$18,810.87	\$18,810.87
Local and Poll Taxes	39,811.75	63,687.63	60,338.74	61,499.10
School Lots	139.00	70.00	30.00	135.00
Tuitions	109.50	109.50	.....	110.00
Note Payable	3,000.00	.....	.....	.....
Other	154.13	43.07	280.40	300.00
Balance July 1	10,013.47	370.18	11,174.57	8,363.23
	\$71,010.89	\$82,073.08	\$90,634.58	\$89,218.20
Reserve for July-August				
'57 Teachers' Salaries				4,358.20
				\$84,860.00



## RUTLAND TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

## EXPENDITURES

July 1, 1955 to June 30, 1956

Adams & Noe Co.	\$151.96
Allied Power & Light Co.	58.55
American Book Co.	91.31
American Education Publication Co.	53.70
American Squares	18.88
Atlantic Union College	225.00
Baird, Mary	75.00
Barker, R. D.	47.06
Barter's Music Store	76.25
Beckley-Cardy Co.	120.56
Beebe, Myron J.	198.00
Benton Review Publishing Co.	7.60
Cahee House Furnishing Co.	55.25
California Test Bureau	57.76
Capitol City Press	16.74
Castleton Teachers' College	80.00
Central Vermont Public Service Corp.	446.07
Champine, Carleton	231.25
Corliss, Raymond	344.00
Cotrupi, Samuel	3,003.40
Cotrupi, Samuel	1,186.65
Davidson, Mrs. Bertha	2,619.00
Davis, Mrs. Ruth	2,926.60
Davis, Mrs. Ruth	9.15
Duffy, Hugh & Co.	1,991.37
Dynam, Alice B.	1,297.00
Fish, Wallace—Road Commissioner	28.00
Follett Publishing Co.	2.46
Garrard Press	3.30
Gawet, J. P.	90.95
Geno, Mrs. Dolores	1,519.44
Geno, Mrs. Dolores	130.00
Ginn & Co.	63.20
Goodspeed, Mrs. Betty	90.00
Hammett, J. L. Co.	91.99
Hammond, C. S. Co.	48.28
Hawley, Mrs. Ira	148.13

Heleba, Charles	86.00
Herald Association	6.00
Houghton, Anne K.	225.00
Howe, Alva T.	75.00
Iroquois Publishing Co.	100.43
Johnson, Arvid	809.55
Johnson, Leonard	3,204.20
Josselin, Mrs. Vera	5.00
Junior Scholastic	59.00
Kenworthy Education Service	21.31
Laidlow Bros.	111.76
Landon's	103.97
Lawrence, Mrs. Arthur	296.25
Lincoln Iron Works	128.34
Lord's Service Station	3.00
Lyons & Carnahan	38.48
McAuliffe Paper Co.	1,020.91
Macmillan Co.	47.40
Mainco Trading Co.	9.01
Martin & Murray Co.	33.95
Merusi, Aldo	5.00
Metzger Bros.	21.76
Mt. St. Joseph Academy	2,881.25
Murphy, Mildred—Postmaster	18.63
Murphy Office Equipment Co.	317.50
Murray, Mrs. Tina	1,251.80
National Survey Co.	6.00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	280.96
Norcross-Eldridge Co.	112.75
Novak Printing Co.	12.00
Oakman Electric Supply Co.	5.32
Orzel, Andrew L.—Insurance Agency	560.76
Owen, F. A.—Publishing Co.	1.53
Perry, Mrs. Amelia—Rutland-Fair Haven Teachers' Association	6.55
Pittsford Town School District	250.00
Pratt, Mrs. Ruth	2,730.00
Pratt, Mrs. Ruth	430.00
Pratt, Dr. William	10.00
Principe, Nicholas	14.50
Proctor Trust Co.	3,007.38
Proctor, Village of—School Account	450.00

Reader's Digest	16.14
Reilly, Ann G.	3,408.40
Reilly, Ann G.	40.85
Russell, Mrs. Beth	70.00
Russell, Lyman Corp.	18.38
Rutland Lumber Co.	8.23
Rutland Public Schools	15,735.00
Rutland, Town of—Fire District	52.00
Scott, Foresman & Co.	193.26
Scribner's Charles	39.73
Smith Lumber Co.	1.80
Spafford, Norman	1,500.00
Spratt, Jack—Woodwind Shop	36.02
Stowell Transportation Corp.	7,458.00
Sullivan, Robert M.	8.60
Toothaker, O. H.	20.87
Trask, Mrs. Natalie	2,916.80
Tremco Manufacturing Co.	105.75
Union School District, Francis Moriarity, Treasurer	1,594.40
United Chemical Co.	29.64
Vermont Department Industrial Relations	2.00
Vermont Electric Supply Co.	2.19
Vermont Fire Equipment Co.	10.00
Vermont Institutional Industries	10.50
Vermont Marble Co.	48.85
Vermont School Directors' Assn. (Mrs. Remick, Treasurer)	8.00
Vermont, State Treasurer	157.41
Vermont Superintendents' Assn.	2.00
Warp Publishing Co.	2.18
Webster Publishing Co.	196.71
West Rutland Town Treasurer—School Department	817.05
Whitcomb, Fay G.	11.64
Wilbur, Lucy F.	10.00
Wilson Sports Equipment Co.	4.00
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	\$70,898.51

**EXPENDITURES**  
**July-December, 1956**

July	\$3,156.63
August	5,141.71

September	3,610.28
October	9,124.40
November	3,950.80
December	4,020.00
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	\$29,003.82

July 1, 1956 balance and receipts July 1-December 31, 1956	\$90,634.58
Less expenditures July 1-December 31, 1956	29,003.82
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Cash balance as of December 31, 1956	\$61,630.76

10 January 1957

To the Auditors of the Town of Rutland:

The Board of School Directors of the Rutland Town School District advise you that according to their records on June 30, 1956 there was a cash balance of \$11,174.57.

Salaries due teachers in July and August amounted to \$4,083.02, leaving a net cash balance of \$7,091.55.

ALVA T. HOWE, Chairman,  
ANNE K. HOUGHTON, Clerk,  
MYRON J. BEEBE.

**TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT**

**RECEIPTS**

**Fiscal Year July 1, 1955 to June 30, 1956**

Balance from June 30, 1955	\$273.24
Taxes, \$2.78 on Grand List	63,687.63
School lot rents	70.00
State aid	17,792.70
Cheney Hill Home Demonstration Club, rental of school rooms	6.00
Young Farm Bureau, rental of school rooms	8.00
Rutland City, tuition	109.50
Proctor Trust Company, discount on Treasury notes	126.01
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	\$82,073.08

## DISBURSEMENTS

Paid loan to Proctor Trust Company	\$3,000.00	
Paid current orders	67,898.51	
Cash on hand June 30, 1956	11,174.57	
	<hr/>	\$82,073.08

July 1, 1956 to December 31, 1956

## RECEIPTS

Cash on hand	\$11,174.57	
Taxes, \$2.60 on Grand List	60,338.74	
School lot rents	30.00	
Proctor Trust Company, discount on Treasury notes	278.40	
State aid	18,810.87	
Cheney Hill Home Demonstration Club rental of school rooms	2.00	
	<hr/>	\$90,634.58

## DISBURSEMENTS

Paid current orders	\$29,003.82	
Cash on hand December 31, 1956	61,630.76	
	<hr/>	\$90,634.58

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW L. ORZEL,

Treasurer.

## TOWN OF RUTLAND FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1

1956

## TREASURER'S REPORT

## Receipts

Balance from 1955	\$1,031.98	
Received from Water Rents	1,523.86	
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## Disbursements

Redfield Proctor, note	\$500.00	
Redfield Proctor, interest	18.75	
Arthur Stevens, labor	7.50	
Cleto DelBianco, labor	12.00	
Canney-Plue, supplies	10.30	
Novak Printing Co., supplies	7.00	
Randall Co., supplies and services	517.30	
R. John Davidson, services, postage, etc.	25.00	
Andrew L. Orzel, Treasurer, fees and postage	33.33	
Araldo DelBianco, services	30.00	
D. A. Murphy, services, postage, supplies, rent	50.00	
	<hr/>	1,211.18
Cash on hand December 3, 1956		\$1,344.66

## Assets

Cash on hand	\$1,344.66
Value of Water Works	11,000.00
Due from Water Rents	15.00
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	\$12,359.66

## Liabilities

Note at Proctor Trust Company	\$500.00
Due J. P. Carrara & Sons	2,000.00
Net Worth	9,859.66
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	\$12,359.66

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW L. ORZEL,

Treasurer.



**VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE**  
**MONTPELIER, VERMONT**

This is our twenty-first annual report to the citizens of the Town of Rutland on State payments in your municipality of various types of assistance and welfare during 1956.

The total number of recipients in the State has remained reasonably stable for some years. The number aided in the Totally and Permanently Disabled program has continued to increase. Old Age Assistance and Blind Assistance case loads have declined. The impact of the Social Security Insurance programs are a continuing factor in the reduction of case loads as an increasing number of our people attain a fully insured status. The towns and cities participated financially in two of the programs as indicated below. Administrative expenses for the four types of Public Assistance have always been among the lowest in the nation.

Old Age Assistance	\$6,187.00
Aid to the Blind	.....
*Aid to Dependent Children	6,570.00
Aid to the Disabled	1,053.00
†Committed Children	.....
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$13,810.00</b>

W. ARTHUR SIMPSON,  
Commissioner.

*\*One-eighth paid by the town or city unless family is non-settled.*

*†One-half paid by the town or city unless family is non-settled.*

**REPORT OF THE**  
**VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

Public health means organized community effort to prevent disease, prolong life and increase physical and emotional well-being. A team of public health people from the State Department of Health last year assisted your health officer, doctor and other local citizens in maintaining the health of Rutland Town. Here is an account of some health services requested or available from members of this team which includes a bacteriologist, chemist, dentist, engineer, health educator, public health nurse, nutritionist, physician, psychologist, sanitarian, social worker, and a statistician.

Crippled Children's Clinics, attendance	*
Child Guidance Clinics	..
Tumor Clinics, attendance	*
Medical Social consultation	..
Polio immunizations, number in clinics and doctors' offices†	296
Preschool Health Conferences	17
Attendance	394
Chest Clinic X-rays	9
Industrial Hygiene X-rays	..
Financial assistance with hospitalization for diagnosis or treatment	1
Pediatric medical consultation	..
Dental consultation	..
Nutrition consultation	..
Survey of community health problems	..
Vital Registration consultation	rendered
Food and lodging establishments, Consultations or inspections	25
Hospital, nursing home, Consultations or inspections	..
Water, sewage, school building, other environmental health problems, Consultations	25
Industrial health services, Consultations or inspections	..

Water samples analyzed:	..
Blood specimens analyzed	**
Other specimens like throat swabs analyzed	**
Vaccines like polio, typhoid, other biologicals	**

†Cumulative total to November 30, 1956.

\*Indicates a number less than 5.

\*\*Services probably given, but recorded for town where your doctor, hospital or nursing home is located.

This public health team is on call to work with you on Rutland Town's health problems. For further information about health department services, write to Commissioner of Health, R. B. Aiken, M.D. A bi-monthly health information bulletin reviewing selected health activities in Vermont may also be had on request.

The services rendered by the Department's Public Health Nurse in your community are reviewed elsewhere in this town report.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT B. AIKEN, M.D., MPH,  
Commissioner of Health.

## REPORT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING PROGRAM VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

January 1, 1956 to January 1, 1957

By working together on local health programs, the members of your town have made possible for the Public Health Nurse, state employed, to render the following services:

### People Served:

7 individuals in behalf of the Maternal and Child Health Services

3 individuals for prevention and control of Communicable Disease

1 individual for other types of services.

### Visits made by the Public Health Nurse:

39 visits in behalf of the Public Health Nursing Services

10 visits in behalf of the Maternal and Child Health Services

1 visit for another type of service

### Medical Conferences:

6 Infant and Pre-School Medical Conferences

52 children attended

3 School Medical Conferences

36 children attended

3 Immunization Clinics

246 children attended

### Immunization Program:

#### Smallpox

Under 1 year . . . . . 3 children vaccinated

1-4 years . . . . . 15 children vaccinated

5 years and over . . . 10 children vaccinated

3 children re-vaccinated

#### Triple Antigen

Under 1 year . . . . . 4 children received their series of doses

1-4 years . . . . . 11 children received their series of doses

31 children received their booster doses

## Diphtheria-Tetanus

5 years and over . . . 4 children received their series  
of doses  
28 children received their boost-  
er doses

## Polio Vaccine

Under 1 year . . . . . 10 children received 1st doses  
7 children received 2nd doses  
1-4 years . . . . . 62 children received their 1st  
doses  
47 children received their 2nd  
doses  
1 child received a 3rd dose  
5 years and over . . . 176 children received their 1st  
doses  
137 children received their 2nd  
doses  
35 children received their 3rd  
doses

The activities this year have been the continued promotion and operation of clinics to provide opportunity for immunization against poliomyelitis. The parents of the infant and pre-school age group should be encouraged to provide adequate protection of this age group against diphtheria, poliomyelitis, whooping cough, tetanus, and smallpox.

Respectfully submitted,

LOIS STEARNS, R.N.,

Public Health Nursing Supervisor.

Bellows Falls, Vermont  
December 4, 1956

Board of Selectmen,  
Rutland, Vermont

Gentlemen:

Enclosed find the white pine blister rust control report for 1956:

At this time I wish to express the appreciation of the Vermont Forest Service and the U. S. Department of Agriculture for your cooperation in connection with the blister rust control program in your town.

Very truly yours,  
FRANK H. ROSE,  
District Leader,  
Vermont Forest Service &  
U. S. Dept. of Agriculture.

### COOPERATIVE BLISTER RUST CONTROL REPORT RUTLAND, VERMONT 1956

The town of Rutland made available the sum of \$300.00 at the Annual Town Meeting March 6, 1956 to be used in co-operation with State and Federal funds for controlling the spread of white pine blister rust in the town of Rutland, Vt.

The work of actually eradicating currant and gooseberry bushes was started August 10th and completed August 22, 1956. A crew of six men was employed in doing the work. The areas eradicated were selected by the district leader with the approval of the town selectmen. The areas eradicated are located in the eastern section of the town.

Blister rust was found infecting and killing white pine throughout the areas eradicated. However, the work accomplished this year will establish control to such an extent that if this control is maintained no further damage should take place.

The statistical summary below shows in brief the accomplishments and cost of the control work in 1956. In addition to the State and Federal expenditures shown in the summary, the State and Federal Governments furnished equipment, materials, transportation for the crew and supervision for the work.



### Statistical Summary

Total area eradicated of currant and gooseberry bushes	1950 acres
Pine protected	476 acres
Number of currant and gooseberry bushes destroyed	5009
Total man hours, Town, State and Federal	591
Town expenditures	\$299.40
State and Federal expenditures	\$379.73

With the completion of the work this year no further eradication should be necessary for a period of 5-7 years. At this time I wish to express the appreciation of the Vermont Forest Service and the U. S. Department of Agriculture for the splendid cooperation on the part of the town officials and the people of Rutland Town in connection with the white pine blister rust control program.

FRANK H. ROSE,

District Leader,

Vermont Forest Service &

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture

### VITAL STATISTICS

#### MARRIAGES

Marriages registered in the Town of Rutland, Vt., for the year ending December 31, 1956.

Date of Marriage	Name of Contracting Parties	Residence
1956		
Jan. 1	Preston Tarbell Billings Charrie Judith Babcock	Rutland Town Rutland City
Jan. 25	Richard Norval Ramson Adele Noreen Kennedy	Rutland Town Rutland City
Feb. 14	Ernest Erland Olson, Jr. Mary Constance Costello	Rutland Town Rutland City
Apr. 30	Lester Smith Martha Douglass	Atlanta, Ga. Rutland Town
May 5	Chester S. Pinney Rena Maddock	Rutland Town Rutland City
May 19	James Skiffington Dorothy Russell	Poultney, Vt. Rutland Town
June 12	William Andrew O'Rourke, Jr. Jean Phyllis Solari	Rutland City Rutland Town
June 16	Benjamin Butterfield Roberta Prior	Rutland Town Rutland Town
Mar. 31	Robert Edward Turce Juanita Lucas	Rutland Town St. Albans, Vt.
June 30	Cleto DelBianco Thelma Irene Hudson Meszaros	Rutland Town Rutland City

Date of Marriage	Name of Contracting Parties	Residence
1956		
June 30	John Edward Fowler Jean Avis Petty	Benson, Vt. Rutland Town
Aug. 11	John R. Jeffrey Elsa A. Johnson	Sterling, Mass. Rutland Town
Aug. 4	James G. Lawrence Madeline Hubbard	Cuttingsville, Vt. Rutland Town
Sept. 1	George Williams Sparks Freda Van Guilder	Rutland Town Poultney, Vt.
Sept. 29	John E. Harvey Martha Suzan Campbell	Rutland Town Rutland Town
Sept. 15	John Dominic Flory, Jr. Louise Jean Garafano	Rutland Town Rutland City
Nov. 24	William B. Thomas Helen M. Lord	Rutland Town Rutland City
Dec. 15	John Ernest Ferguson Norma Ruth Ackley	Rutland Town N. Clarendon, Vt.

## BIRTHS

Births registered in the Town of Rutland, Vermont, for the year ending December 31, 1956.

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
1955				
Dec. 7	Meggin Anna Nutter	F	Francis C. Nutter	Shirley A. Shortsleeves
Dec. 10	Kenneth Howard Fredette, Jr.	M	Kenneth H. Fredette, Sr.	Carolyn Jean Sharp
1956				
Jan. 12	Charlene Louise Wood	F	Roger Edmund Wood	Hattie Annabelle Edmunds
Jan. 27	Nicholas Leonard Denardo	M	Sidney J. Denardo	Lucy Marie Calucci
Feb. 14	John Stanley Vajda	M	Charles Emery Vajda	Jane Mary Czachor
Feb. 8	Howard Walter Stratton, Jr.	M	Howard W. Stratton, Sr.	Mary Jane Ackert
Feb. 20	Melody Rose Senecal	F	Glen Charles Senecal	Kathleen Mabel Connor
Mar. 27	Mary Louise Hubbard	F	Robert Edward Hubbard	Mary Verna Raymond
May 23	David John Gray	M	Robert Henry Gray	Mary Eileen Mackerney
Apr. 14	Robert Lee Young	M	Gerald Edwin Young	Nancy Jean Brousseau
May 30	Newton Bradley Jones	M	Bradley Philip Jones	Carroll Warner Temple
June 13	Frederick Charles Wortman	M	Gordon Dewey Wortman	Elizabeth Anne McPhee
July 9	Georgann . . . . . Kittle	F	George Devillion Kittle	Elizabeth Ruth Herie
July 12	Rodney Craig Ellwood	M	Clayton Harold Ellwood	Beverly June Baker
Aug. 4	Roger Scott Billings	M	Jesse Dyer Billings, 3rd	Joyce Renita Boutwell
June 23	Bruce Jeffrey Duchesne	M	Roger Olmer Duchesne	Faith Ellen Phelps
July 19	Patricia Mary Creed	F	Vernon James Creed	Mary Elizabeth Lee
July 26	Bonnie May Norton	F	Waller Judson Norton	Bernice Verna Pinney
Aug. 1	Mary Kathleen Creed	F	David Stewart Creed	Phyllis Anne McCue

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
1956				
Aug. 3	Gregory Dale Webster	M	Floyd Earl Webster	Marion Evelyn Moulton
Aug. 7	Pamela Ruth Pulling	F	Harold Mosher Pulling	Gladys Irene Rogers
Aug. 20	Kathy Ann Holden	F	Francis Elmer Holden	Ruth Lillian Crimmin
Aug. 28	Colin Patrick Socia	M	Ion Joseph Socia	Esther Pauline Shepard
Aug. 30	Stephen King Blackwell	M	John Sheldon Blackwell	Harriett Annette Bormann
Sept. 13	Loring Manley Smith	M	Jerrold Worthington Smith	Marilyn Manley
Sept. 13	Mark Knowlton Smith	M	Jerrold Worthington Smith	Marilyn Manley
Oct. 3	Carl Francis Looby	M	Carlton William Looby	Elizabeth Marie Garvey
Oct. 15	Taina Jayne Taylor	F	Floyd Robert Taylor	Merle Belle Wheeler
Oct. 23	Bradford Lansing Rousseau, Jr.	M	Bradford L. Rousseau, Sr.	Robertta Mary Dezero
Oct. 24	Ann Marie Popovitch	F	Charles Francis Popovitch	Beatrice Anna King
Oct. 24	Stephen Raymond Sapinski	M	Sigismund L. Sapinski	Julia Sophie Orzell
Oct. 25	Robert Norbert Trepanier, Jr.	M	Robert N. Trepanier, Sr.	Louise Grace Denardo
Oct. 25	Lori Rogers	F	Jack Dennis Rogers	Barbara Beatrice Jennings
Nov. 25	Charles Edward Severance	M	James Charles Severance	Evola Ann Withington
Dec. 2	Kevin Shawn Hendee	M	Calvin Theodore Hendee	Noami Nancy Wheeler
Dec. 23	Betty Ann Larson	F	Albin Waldemar Larson	Florence Alda Tremblay
Dec. 27	Lynn Ann Czachor	F	Edward Lawrence Czachor	Therese Ann O'Bara

## DEATHS

Deaths registered in the Town of Rutland, Vt., for the year ending December 31, 1956.

Date of Death	Name of Decedent	Sex	Yr.	Age Mo.	Days	Residence
1956						
Jan. 2	Clara Belle Fish	F	64	6	26	Rutland Town
Jan. 8	Elsie Winifred Buck	F	68	..	..	Rutland Town
Feb. 23	Charles M. Young	M	72	..	..	Rutland Town
Feb. 14	Albertha Bernadette Knapp	F	47	..	..	Rutland Town
Feb. 16	Luella Harvey	F	90	..	..	Rutland Town
Apr. 7	Bessie Bowen Eno	F	60	..	..	Rutland Town
June 23	Arthur Joseph Lawrence	M	62	..	..	Rutland Town
Aug. 3	Stanley Zygo	M	78	..	..	Rutland Town
Sept. 8	Edith Greeno McPhee	F	61	..	..	Rutland Town
Oct. 13	Theodore L. Pentkowski	M	15	..	..	Proctor, Vt.
Nov. 22	Harriet Russell	F	87	10	16	Rutland Town
Dec. 3	Romaine E. Woods	M	63	10	11	Rutland Town
Oct. 27	Nancy M. Spafford	F	71	..	..	Rutland Town
Oct. 30	James Guilder	M	81	..	..	Rutland Town
Nov. 30	Irving Hiram Howard	M	82	..	..	Rutland Town



## WARNING

The legal voters of the Town of Rutland and the Town of Rutland School District are hereby warned to meet at the Town Hall in Center Rutland on Tuesday, March 5, 1957, at ten o'clock A.M. to act on the following matters, namely:

1. Shall the voters empower and authorize the Selectmen to appoint one or two Road Commissioners?
2. Choose all necessary officers required by law.
3. Shall the Town vote to raise money by tax, or otherwise to pay current expenses of the Town, Overseer of the Poor, Highway, County and Fire Protection? If by tax, how much?
4. When and to whom shall the several taxes be due and payable?
5. Shall license for the sale of malt and vinous beverages be granted in this Town?
6. Shall spirituous liquors be sold in this Town?
7. Shall the voters authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes?
8. Shall the Town vote to secure the services of the Rutland City Fire Department?
9. Shall the voters approve an appropriation of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) to secure the use of the Rutland Free Library to the inhabitants of the Town?
10. Shall the Town vote to take advantage of the extra One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) per mile granted to the towns by the State, provided the Town spends not less than Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00) per mile of their own money on Town Roads outside of winter maintenance as provided by Sec. 2, No. 108 of the Acts of 1951?
11. Shall the Town vote its officers salaries? If so, how much?
12. Shall the Selectmen be authorized to enter into an agreement with the City of Rutland for use of the City Dump at a cost to the town, based on population, at the rate of 40¢ per person with a minimum of not less than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) annually, subject to the rules and regulations governing the Rutland City dump?

13. Shall the Town School District vote to raise money by tax or otherwise to pay current expenses of the School District? If by tax, how much?

14. Shall the Town School District pay tuition for the higher education of the scholars of said District? If so, how much?

15. Shall the School Board be authorized to borrow money in anticipation of taxes?

16. Shall the School District vote a sum of money not to exceed Eighty Dollars (\$80.00) for a scholarship to be awarded a worthy high school graduate of Rutland Town, who wishes to enter an institution of higher learning, particularly a Teacher's Training College?

17. To transact any other necessary, legal and proper business, which may come before said meeting.

Articles No. 1, 3, 4, 11, 13, and 14 will not appear on the Australian Ballot, and will be taken up at 1:30 P.M. The polls will close at 3:00 P.M.

Rutland, Vermont, February 19, 1957.

Grand List \$23,207.21.

W. N. SHARP,

BYRON J. HATHAWAY,

Selectmen.

Rutland Fire Clay

96 Curtis Ave.

Rutland, Vt.

